

1. Concept Review

Declension is

- This or that system of form-changes and ending changes that nouns, adjectives, articles, and pronouns undergo to tell you:
 - case (*nom., gen., dat., acc., voc.*)
 - number (*sing., plur.*)
 - gender (*masc., fem., neut.*)
- 2nd decl. *nouns* have
 - MASC/FEM: nom. sing. in **-ος**
 - ὁ ἀγρός masc.
 - ἡ ὁδός fem.
 - NEUTER: nom. sing. in **-ον**
 - τὸ ἄροτρον neut.

Case is

Forms that nouns and pronouns (plus articles, adjectives, participles) take *to play different grammar roles*, like the different positions on a sports team.

In *soccer*:

- strikers
- midfielders
- etc.

In *Greek nouns etc.*:

- nominative (subjects & complements)
- genitive (place from/out of, possession)
- dative (place where at, person to whom)
- accusative (DO, place to/into)
- vocative (the “Hey, you!” case)

Just as the physical *marker* of a soccer position — goalie — will differ from team to team (different styles of shirt), so the *phonetic form* of a *case-ending* (its sound and spelling) will differ from declension to declension (there are three).

- E.g., the genitive case of ἀγρός is ἀγροῦ. In that form, the noun can function, *among other things*, as PLACE OUT OF WHICH: βαίνω ἐκ τοῦ ἀγροῦ, "I walk out of the field"

2. "Case Chase": The Cases and their Jobs. (Jobs illustrated with English examples)

- nominative
 - subject (*DICAEOPOLIS is a farmer. DICAEOPOLIS loves his house*)
 - complement (*Dicaeopolis is A FARMER*)
- genitive
 - possession (*Philip is DICAEOPOLIS'S son*)
 - out of / away from (*Dicaeopolis comes OUT OF THE HOUSE*)
- dative
 - place where (*Dicaeopolis sleeps IN/NEAR THE HOUSE*)
 - indirect object = person to whom (*Philip gives dinner TO DICAEOPOLIS*)
 - "dative of reference" with verbs like προσχωρέω (see below, "Vocab Notes")
- accusative
 - direct object (*Dicaeopolis loves THE HOUSE*)
 - place towards or into (*Dicaeopolis goes INTO THE HOUSE*)
- vocative
 - attention-grabbing (*Hey, Dicaeopolis!*)

3. Quiz CH3 Issues

- endings-forms
 - of plural nouns
 - of plural verbs
 - infinitive
- agreement
 - article-nouns-adjectives: agree case and number and gender
 - verbs-subjects: number and person

4. CH3 Vocab Notes

- προσχωρέω approach + dative:
 - προσχωρ-ῶ τῷ Δικαιοπόλιδι (dat.).
"I approach / go near to / go up to D."
- αὐτό versus αὐτόν

- **αὐτό** neuter sing. **"it."** **αὐτά** neut. plur. **"them."**
φέρω **τὸ ἄροτρον / τὰ ἄροτρα**. I carry **the plow / the plows**
φέρω **αὐτό / αὐτά**. I carry **it / them**.
 - **αὐτόν** masc. sing. **"him/it."** **αὐτούς** masc. plur. **"them."**
καλῶ **τὸν δοῦλον / τοὺς δούλους**. I call **the slave / the slaves**.
καλῶ **αὐτόν / αὐτούς**. I call **him / them**.
φιλῶ **τὸν κλῆρον**. I love **my farm**.
φιλῶ **αὐτόν**. I love **it**.
- δυνατὸν ἔστιν / οὐκ ἔστι δυνατὸν βαδίξ-ειν.
- It is (not) possible to walk.
- **τε . . . καί**: ὁ **τε** Δικαιόπολις **καὶ** ὁ Ξανθίας. (Both) Dicaeopolis and Xanthias.
- τοσοῦτος λίθος / τοσοῦτοι λίθοι So **great** a stone / so **many** stones

5. Second Declension Masc. & Neut, Full Paradigm: Adjective, Noun (+ article)

singular	masc.			neut		
	<i>the</i>	<i>small</i>	<i>stone</i>	<i>the</i>	<i>small</i>	<i>dinner</i>
nom.	ὁ	μικρ-ὸς	λίθ-ος	τὸ	μικρ-ὸν	δειπν-ον
gen.	τοῦ	μικρ-οῦ	λίθ-ου	τοῦ	μικρ-οῦ	δειπν-ου
dat.	τῷ	μικρ-ῷ	λίθ-ω	τῷ	μικρ-ῷ	δειπν-ω
acc.	τὸν	μικρ-ὸν	λίθ-ον	τὸ	μικρ-ὸν	δειπν-ον
voc.	(ὦ)	μικρ-ὲ	λίθ-ε	(ὦ)	μικρ-ὸν	δειπν-ον
plural	masc.			neut		
	<i>the</i>	<i>small</i>	<i>stones</i>	<i>the</i>	<i>small</i>	<i>dinners</i>
nom.	οἱ	μικρ-οῖ	λίθ-οι	τὰ	μικρ-ὰ	δειπν-α
gen.	τῶν	μικρ-ῶν	λίθ-ων	τῶν	μικρ-ῶν	δειπν-ων
dat.	τοῖς	μικρ-οῖς	λίθ-οις	τοῖς	μικρ-οῖς	δειπν-οις
acc.	τούς	μικρ-οὺς	λίθ-ους	τὰ	μικρ-ὰ	δειπν-α
voc.	(ὦ)	μικρ-οῖ	λίθ-οι	(ὦ)	μικρ-ὰ	δειπν-α

Another paradigm:

singular	masc.		
	<i>the</i>	<i>beautiful</i>	<i>field</i>
nom.	ὁ	καλ-ὸς	ἀγρ-ός
gen.	τοῦ	καλ-οῦ	ἀγρ-οῦ
dat.	τῷ	καλ-ῷ	ἀγρ-ῷ
acc.	τὸν	καλ-ὸν	ἀγρ-όν
voc.	(ὦ)	καλ-ὲ	ἀγρ-ὲ
plural	masc.		
	<i>the</i>	<i>beautiful</i>	<i>fields</i>
	οἱ	καλ-οἱ	ἀγρ-οἱ
gen.	τῶν	καλ-ῶν	ἀγρ-ῶν
dat.	τοῖς	καλ-οῖς	ἀγρ-οῖς
acc.	τούς	καλ-οὺς	ἀγρ-οὺς
voc.	(ὦ)	καλ-οἱ	ἀγρ-οἱ

6. Verb Forms Revisited

	λέγω say	πονέω work	εἰμι be	(ἦλθον) come/go
	plain “ω” verb	ε-contract	irreg.	see forms below ...
INDICATIVE mood				
1st sing	λέγ-ω	πον-ῶ	εἰμί	[later in semester]
2 nd	λέγ-εις	πον-εῖς	εἶ	[later in semester]
3 rd	λέγ-ει	πον-εῖ	ἐστί(ν)	[later in semester]
3 rd pl	λέγ-ουσι(ν)	πον-οῦσι(ν)	εἰσί(ν)	[later in semester]
IMPERATIVE mood				
2 nd sing.	λέγ-ε	πόν-ει	ἴσθι	ἔλθ-έ
2 nd pl.	λέγ-ετε	πον-εῖτε	ἔσθε	ἔλθ-ετε
INFINITIVE mood				
	λέγ-ειν	πον-εῖν	εἶναι	[later in semester]